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FM AMCONSUL HONG KONG
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INFO AMEMBASSY BANGKOK
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SUBJECT: CONDITIONAL ENTRY PROGRAM FOR INDOCHINESE

REF: STATE 109186 AND KUALA LUMPUR 3107 (NOTAL)

1. CONGEN CONCURS IN DEPT PLAN BASE TDY OFFICER IN BANGKOK
WITH TRAVEL THIS OFFICER AT CONGEN DISCRETION.

2. WOULD TDY OFFICER BE READY ARRIVE IN AREA WEEK OF JUNE 13?
IF SO, WE PROPOSE THAT OFFICER COME DIRECTLY TO HONG KONG
FOR TWO OR THREE DAYS OF BRIEFING/TRAINING, AND THEN
ACCOMPANY INS OFFICER, VOLAG REP, AND VOLAG VIETNAMESE
INTERPRETER TO PRESCREEN APPROXIMATELY 200 REFUGEES
LOCATED TANJUNG PINANG AND SEVERAL CAMPS NEAR JAKARTA.
OFFICER WOULD THEN PROCEED ON OR ABOUT JUNE 26 TO KUALA
LUMPUR. IF TDY OFFICER NOT RPT NOT AVAILABLE TO ACCOMPANY
INS OFFICER TO INDONESIA, CONGEN MAY HAVE REQUEST
ASSISTANCE FROM CONOFF AT EITHER BANGKOK OR
SINGAPORE TO PRESCREEN REFUGEES AT TANJUNG
PINANG. THIS ASSUMES THAT AMEMBASSY JAKARTA
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WILL NOT BE ABLE PROVIDE CONOFF FOR THIS PURPOSE.
AMEMBASSY JAKARTA COMMENTS ON THIS ARE REQUESTED.

3. WHILE WE ARE SYMPATHETIC TO AMEMBASSY KUALA
LUMPUR'S SITUATION AND ENDORSE ITS DESIRE TO HAVE
HUNDREDS OF REFUGEES IN JOHORE INTERVIEWED AS
WELL AS GEAR UP FOR LONG HAUL, WE HOPE IT UNDERSTOOD

THAT TDY OFFICER WILL HAVE ONLY LIMITED TIME
SPEND IN MALAYSIA, MOST OF WHICH WOULD BE IN
CAMPS. CONGEN HOPES TO MOVE BULK ELIGIBLE BOAT
CASE REFUGEES THROUGH HONG KONG DURING COMING
MONTHS AND THIS WILL INVOLVE TDY OFFICER TRAVELLING
TO VARIOUS LOCATIONS WITH INS OFFICER.

4. DEPT MAY WISH CONSIDER AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR'S
NEED FOR ASSISTANCE DUE SHORT STAFFING AS SEPARATE
FROM THIS TDY OFFICER.
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